

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (a) No.

(b) & (c) Some of the owners of the adjoining lands have given statements agreeing to surrender the lands required for the road free of compensation.

(d) Under instructions from Government as well as on the requisition of the P. W. D.

(e) Statements from some of the landowners were obtained in Kanni and Tulam 1108 and from some others in Meenam and Medam 1111.

(f) The interested parties have stated that they have set back the fences and cleared the lands at their own cost and as per alignment and directions of the P. W. D.

(g) Yes, some have given written consent.

(h) No, because written consent has still to be obtained from some landowners.

(i) No.

(j) Yes. The estimate and plans for the work have been received. Government have considered the representations and orders have been issued for making provision for the purpose in the budget for 1113.

Poovanakadavu bridge at Mallappally.

285. *MR. R. SIVARAMAN NAIR (*Tiruvalla II*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether any land had been acquired for Poovanakadavu bridge at Mallappally;

(b) if the answer to part (a) is in the affirmative, the amount of money spent; and

(c) whether any estimate is prepared for that bridge?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (a) Yes.

(b) A sum of Rs. 1,385-16-12 has been awarded as compensation for the lands acquired.

(c) Yes an estimate for Rs. 1,17,000 has been sanctioned.

MR. R. SIVARAMAN NAIR (*Tiruvalla II*): With reference to the answer to part (c) of the question, may I know when the estimate was sanctioned?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): In 1932.

Drainage facilities in Tazhakkara pakuthi.

286. *MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Irrigation officers have investigated into the necessity of giving drainage facilities for the cultivation of the Vettiur, Tazhakkara, Pulimel, Patikkad and Peruvayalichal *punja* lands in Tazhakkara pakuthi, Mavelikara taluk; and

(b) if the answer to part (a) is in the affirmative, the result of such investigation?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (a) & (b) Investigation is being conducted.